UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : FILE (89-43) DATE: 12/6/63

FROM : SAC SHANKLIN

SUBJECT: ASSASSINATION OF PRES. KENNEDY
DALLAS, TEXAS, 11/22/63
AFO

Section Chief JAMES HANDLEY of the Bureau called at 12:50 PM and stated that they wanted it determined whether or not the Dallas Police Department had LEE HARVEY OSWALD as a suspect in the attempted assassination of General WALKER.

I stated that I would have an Agent contact the Police Department and find out. Mr. HANDLEY stated this should be done discreetly and on a positive basis; in other words ask them if they ever had any suspects in the General WALKER shooting and if so, who were they?

HANDLEY was told that the Lab man, at the time the Agent went to get the bullet found in the WALKER residence, stated he had about half way been thinking that OSWALD might have fired the shot at WALKER. When we asked about the bullet, it obviously went into the Lab man's mind as to why we wanted the bullet.

I advised HANDLEY that I would have SA DRAIN make discreet inquiry and that we would also check the file, and would let him know.

HANDLEY stated a memorandum is coming down to Dallas on American Airlines flight 307, arriving in Dallas at 4;49 PM, Dallas time. It is on express receipt 644664, in care of Capt. ED BACHNER.

Handley advised at 1:20 P.M. that Dallas P.D. did not have Oswald as suspect in Walker case. 89-43-26132 See Drain 302

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